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SUBJECT: KOREAN STEEL EXPORTS TO US

REF : SEOUL 3905

1. DEPT HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM MAYOR OF SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO, COMPLAINING OF "RECENT ACTION ADOPTED BY ROKG IN RESTRICTING EXPORTATION AND DELIVERY OF STEEL ORDERS ALREADY ACCEPTED AND DESTINED FOR SAN JUAN." DETAILS THIS ORDER FOR KOREAN REBARS BEING POUCHED EMBASSY.

2. SINCE ORDER (WITH DONGKUK STEEL CO. LTD.) APPEARS TO HAVE BEEN PLACED IN DECEMBER 1972 BY PUERTO RICAN IMPORTER, EXCEPTION TO EXPORT RESTRICTIONS REPORTED REFTEL MAY BE POSSIBLE IN THIS CASE (AS PER PARA TWO REFTEL).

3. ONCE DETAILS THIS ORDER RECEIVED, EMBASSY REQUESTED DISCUSS MATTER WITH APPROPRIATE KOREAN AUTHORITIES, WITH VIEW TOWARD OBTAINING EXCEPTION FROM EXPORT RESTRICTIONS  
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FOR THIS ORDER, AND REPORT RESULTS OF DISCUSSIONS. RUSH

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